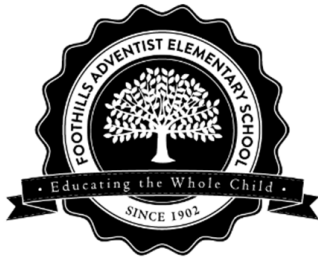


# Foothills Express



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## FEBRUARY DATES TO REMEMBER

- 1-9 MAP Testing Continues
- 6 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School Celebration
- 7 Picture Day
- 10 Calistoga Church Program
- 14 Valentine's Day
- 16 Mrs. Jones' Birthday
- 19 Presidents' Day  
~ No School
- 29 4-8<sup>th</sup> Ski Day

## MARCH DATES TO REMEMBER

- 1 Build It Day
- 6 Mrs. Racker's Birthday
- 21 Open House
- 22 Kindergarten Visitation Day
- 25-29 Spring Break
- 31 Easter Sunday

## APRIL DATES TO REMEMBER

- 1 Teacher In-Service  
~ No School
- 2 Teacher Enrichment Day  
~ No School
- 3 Begin Q4
- 3 Fit-a-Thon Online Page Opens
- 12 Fit-a-Thon Day
- 29-May 10 MAP Testing Window #3



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# ANNOUNCEMENTS & UP COMING EVENTS:

**100<sup>th</sup> Day Celebration:** On Tuesday, February 6, we will celebrate the 100th day of school with 100th Day Themed Activities and Dress Up. Students are encouraged to participate in the 100th Day Dress Up by dressing like you're 100 years old, dressing like you're from 100 years ago (1920's), or dressing up like you're from 100 years in the future (2120's).

**Picture Day:** Picture Day will be, Wednesday, February 7, in the morning. Please have your child dress nicely for their picture. A high-resolution image of your child will be emailed to you after picture day.

**Calistoga Church Program:** Foothills students will be part of the church service for Sabbath, February 10, at Calistoga SDA Church at 2102 Grant St. in Calistoga. Students need to arrive by 10:30 am dressed in dark, preferably black, church clothes. Student attendance counts towards their music grade.

**MAP Testing Continues:** MAP Testing measures each child's growth over time over the school year and across multiple years. It is a great tool for our teachers to know how to plan instruction efficiently for their students. Please make sure your child gets enough sleep and a healthy breakfast before school each morning to help them do their best.

**Build It Day:** Join us for a Build It Day on Friday, March 1st, 8:30 am - 12:30 pm. We are looking for parents and community members to help us build various outdoor learning centers such as a mud kitchen, theater, fort, play house, etc. Please bring your tools. We also need donations of plywood, barrels, wine boxes, firm crates, old fencing panels, and pallets.

**Foothills Open House:** Thursday, March 21, from 2:30 pm - 4 pm This year's Open House focus is our Garden Program. Invite your friends, family, and neighbors.

**2024-2025 NCC Scholarships:** Scholarship applications for the 2024-2025 school year are open now. Applications can be found online here: <https://nccsda.com/education/scholarships/>

**Foothills, The Haven Church/Thrift Scholarship Applications:** These applications are now available in the Foothills office. Any family applying for these scholarships needs to submit the application with their 2023 IRS Form 1040. The deadline for these applications is Friday, March 22nd.

**Mrs. Priest Trying To  
Work On A Sunday**



**Tax ID # 68-0190767:** For those of you taking care of your income taxes and may need our number.

**Tuition and Fees:** February tuition is due. Please submit payment as soon as possible. February Invoices and statements were sent February 1st. Cash or Checks made out to Foothills Adventist Elementary are the best options to avoid the 3.5%+ \$0.15 debit/credit card fee.

**Mark Your Calendars For Foothills Events & Breaks**

- **February 6:** 100<sup>th</sup> Day of School Celebration
- **February 10:** Calistoga Church Program
- **February 19:** No School – Presidents’ Day
- **March 1:** Build It Day from 8:30 am – 12:30 pm
- **March 21:** Open House from 2:30 pm – 4 pm
- **March 22:** Kindergarten Visitation Day
- **March 25-29:** No School – Spring Break
- **April 1 & 2:** No School – Teacher In-Service & Enrichment Day
- **April 12:** Fit-a-Thon Day

**Donations Needed for  
BUILD IT DAY**

- Plywood
- Barrels
- Wooden wine boxes
- Firm crates
- Old fencing panels
- Pallets



**K/1 Builders**



**Pickleball PE Time**



*“To increase in wisdom and stature, and in favor with God and man.”*

*Healthy minds, healthy bodies, healthy relationships—living for Jesus.*